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11th Annual Celebrate Mansfield Festival to Feature Humming House

Sunday, September 21 at 2:30 PM



The Mansfield Downtown Partnership is pleased to announce the musical headliner for the 11th Annual Celebrate Mansfield Festival on Sunday, September 21:

Humming House!

At once danceable and reflective, familiar and nostalgic, Humming House is a musical experiment gone right. Woven together from diverse backgrounds (Americana, Classical Composition, Indie Rock, Bluegrass, Soul, and Traditional Irish Music), their playground of musical

exploration has something for every generation. Unmistakable pop sensibilities mixed with a depth of lyrical narrative give their whimsical songs an irresistible quality that can only be described by the imagery of the name – Humming House.

Fresh from recording their second album with Grammy Award-winning producers Vance Powell (The White Stripes, Chris Thile, Buddy Guy) and Mitch Dane (Jars of Clay), Humming House is building a tour schedule to match their growing reputation. Their debut record brought a whirlwind of press including features on NPR's Live in Studio C and All Things Considered, Nashville's Lightning 100 local spotlight, reviews in American Songwriter Magazine, and a Daytrotter session. Humming House has had placements on FX's "Justified" and The CW's "Hart of Dixie". They are currently touring nationwide with notable performances at Bristol Rhythm and Roots, the Americana Music Festival, SXSW, and Old Settlers Fest.

The Celebrate Mansfield Festival will be Sunday, September 21, 2014 from noon to 4:00 pm on the Town Square in Mansfield, CT. If it rains, the event will be held inside E. O. Smith High School (1235 Storrs Road, Mansfield, CT). In addition to the performance by Humming House, the event will feature the Celebrate Mansfield Parade at noon; children's games and crafts; a Juried Art Show; food booths by local restaurants; and much more!

The Celebrate Mansfield Festival is free and open to the public. For more information about the 11TH Annual Celebrate Mansfield Festival, visit www.downtownstorrsfestival.org or call the Partnership office (860.429.2740).

